

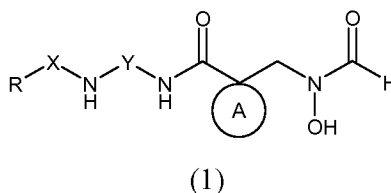
Amendments to the claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently amended): A compound according to Formula (1):

~~In one aspect of the present invention, there is provided a compound of formula (1):~~



wherein:

~~A consists of~~ A is an optionally substituted 3 to 8 membered carbocycle ~~of 3 to 8 membered~~ ring[.];

Y is a bond except ~~where~~ when X is [[a]] carbonyl ~~wherein~~ Y is a bond or CH₂[.];

X is a carbonyl, CH₂ or a bond;

R is selected from the group consisting of aryl and heteroaryl; or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

2. (Currently amendment): A compound according to claim 1 selected from the group consisting of:

N-Hydroxy-*N*-{*cis*-4-methyl-1-[*N'*-(4-trifluoromethyl-pyrimidin-2-yl)-hydrazinocarbonyl]-cyclohexylmethyl}-formamide;

N-Hydroxy-*N*-{*cis*-4-methyl-1-[*N'*-(4-methyl-pyrimidin-2-yl)-hydrazinocarbonyl]-cyclohexylmethyl}-formamide;

N-Hydroxy-*N*-{*cis*-4-methyl-1-[*N'*-(4-morpholin-4-yl-6-trifluoromethyl-pyrimidin-2-yl)-hydrazinocarbonyl]-cyclohexylmethyl}-formamide;

N-Hydroxy-*N*-{*cis*-4-methyl-1-[*N'*-(7-methyl-benzo[1,2,4]triazin-3-yl)-hydrazinocarbonyl]-cyclohexylmethyl}-formamide;

N-Hydroxy-*N*-{*cis*-4-methyl-1-[*N'*-(5-methyl-benzo[1,2,4]triazin-3-yl)-hydrazinocarbonyl]-cyclohexylmethyl}-formamide;

N-Hydroxy-*N*-{*cis*-4-methyl-1-[*N'*-(5,7-dimethyl-benzo[1,2,4]triazin-3-yl)-hydrazinocarbonyl]-cyclohexylmethyl}-formamide;
Benzofuran-2-carboxylic acid {[*cis*-1-{1-[(formyl-hydroxy-amino)-methyl]-4-methyl-cyclohexyl}-methanoyl)-amino]-methyl}-amide;
N-Hydroxy-*N*-(*cis*-1-{*N'*-[1-(7-methoxy-benzofuran-2-yl)-methanoyl]-hydrazinocarbonyl}-4-methyl-cyclohexylmethyl)-formamide;
N-Hydroxy-*N*-{1-[*N'*-(4-trifluoromethyl-pyrimidin-2-yl)-hydrazinocarbonyl]-cyclopentylmethyl}-formamide;
N-Hydroxy-*N*-{1-[*N'*-(7-methoxy-benzofuran-2-carbonyl)-hydrazinocarbonyl]-cyclopentylmethyl}-formamide;
N-Hydroxy-*N*-{1-[*N'*-(4-trifluoromethyl-pyrimidin-2-yl)-hydrazinocarbonyl]-cyclohexylmethyl}-formamide;
N-Hydroxy-*N*-{1-[*N'*-(7-methoxy-benzofuran-2-carbonyl)-hydrazinocarbonyl]-cyclohexylmethyl}-formamide;
N-Hydroxy-*N*-{1-[*N'*-(5-methoxy-benzo[1,2,4]triazin-3-yl)-hydrazinocarbonyl]-cyclohexylmethyl}-formamide;
N-Hydroxy-*N*-{1-[*N'*-(7-methyl-benzo[1,2,4]triazin-3-yl)-hydrazinocarbonyl]-cyclohexylmethyl}-formamide;
N-{4,4-Dimethyl-1-[*N'*-(4-trifluoromethyl-pyrimidin-2-yl)-hydrazinocarbonyl]-cyclohexylmethyl}-*N*-hydroxy-formamide;
N-{4,4-Dimethyl-1-[*N'*-(4-methyl-pyrimidin-2-yl)-hydrazinocarbonyl]-cyclohexylmethyl}-*N*-hydroxy-formamide;
N-{4,4-Dimethyl-1-[*N'*-(4-methyl-6-morpholin-4-yl-pyrimidin-2-yl)-hydrazinocarbonyl]-cyclohexylmethyl}-*N*-hydroxy-formamide;
N-{4,4-Dimethyl-1-[*N'*-(4-trifluoromethyl-6-morpholin-4-yl-pyrimidin-2-yl)-hydrazinocarbonyl]-cyclohexylmethyl}-*N*-hydroxy-formamide;
N-{4,4-Dimethyl-1-[*N'*-(7-methyl-benzo[1,2,4]triazin-3-yl)-hydrazinocarbonyl]-cyclohexylmethyl}-*N*-hydroxy-formamide;
N-{4,4-Dimethyl-1-[*N'*-(5-methyl-benzo[1,2,4]triazin-3-yl)-hydrazinocarbonyl]-cyclohexylmethyl}-*N*-hydroxy-formamide;
N-{4,4-Dimethyl-1-[*N'*-(4-methyl-pyridin-2-yl)-hydrazinocarbonyl]-cyclohexylmethyl}-*N*-hydroxy-formamide;

N-{1-[*N*-(Dimethylamino-ethyl-[1,3,5]triazin-2-yl)-hydrazinocarbonyl]-4,4-dimethyl-cyclohexylmethyl}-*N*-hydroxy-formamide;
Benzofuran-2-carboxylic acid {[1-{-[(formyl-hydroxy-amino)-methyl]-4,4-dimethyl-cyclohexyl}-methanoyl)-amino]-methyl}-amide;
N-Hydroxy-*N*-{1-[*N*-(4-trifluoromethyl-pyrimidin-2-yl)-hydrazinocarbonyl]-cycloheptylmethyl}-formamide;
N-Hydroxy-*N*-{1-[*N*-(4-methyl-pyrimidin-2-yl)-hydrazinocarbonyl]-cycloheptylmethyl}-formamide;
N-Hydroxy-*N*-{1-[*N*-(4-methyl-6-morpholin-4-yl-pyrimidin-2-yl)-hydrazinocarbonyl]-cycloheptylmethyl}-formamide;
N-(1-{*N*-[4-(4-Ethyl-piperazin-1-yl)-6-methyl-pyrimidin-2-yl]-hydrazinocarbonyl}-cycloheptylmethyl)-*N*-hydroxy-formamide;
N-Hydroxy-*N*-{1-[*N*-(4-methyl-pyridin-2-yl)-hydrazinocarbonyl]-cycloheptylmethyl}-formamide;
N-Hydroxy-*N*-{1-[*N*-(5-methyl-benzo[1,2,4]triazin-3-yl)-hydrazinocarbonyl]-cycloheptylmethyl}-formamide;
N-Hydroxy-*N*-{1-[*N*-(7-methyl-benzo[1,2,4]triazin-3-yl)-hydrazinocarbonyl]-cycloheptylmethyl}-formamide;
N-Hydroxy-*N*-{1-[*N*-(7-methoxy-benzofuran-2-carbonyl)-hydrazinocarbonyl]-cycloheptylmethyl}-formamide; and
Benzofuran-2-carboxylic acid {[1-{-[(formyl-hydroxy-amino)-methyl]-cycloheptyl}-methanoyl)-amino]-methyl}-amide; or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

3. (Currently amended): A method of treating a bacterial infection by administering to a subject in need of treatment a compound according to claim 1; or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

4. (New): A pharmaceutical composition comprising a compound according to claim 1, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.